Management and Control of Invasive Species. (A02-jones100432-Poster)

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Abstract:

Invasive species can be a threat to natural resources and wreak havoc to the military training mission. The United States Military Academy (USMA) thru the efforts of it's Environmental Division and with the help of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory has implemented a program for detecting, monitoring, and controlling invasive species. The goal of the program is to reduce small infestations and contain expansive infestations. Whenever possible, seedling infestations will be quickly eradicated. Invasive species with their inherent rapid growth and ecological dominant characteristics require frequent surveillance. Control methods have included biological, mechanical, chemical, and cultural applications.

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